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## TRAVELER'S INDEX.

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We put on exhibition the Nebraska sod-house, to show a curious phase of pioneer life on the prairie. But we have received today, and have on exhibition at our office, a thing of great interest, and should be seen by every body. It is part of the trunk of a pine tree, in which is included a young pine tree, and at the Battle of Chickamauga, Sept. 19, 1863, this messenger of death was included in the tree, and several years of growth has lately been killed in its woody bark.

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Depart: 7:10 a.m. 11:30 a.m. 3:15 p.m. 7:45 p.m.  
Arrive: 11:30 a.m. 1:50 p.m. 10:50 p.m.  
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Depart: 7:10 a.m. 12:05 p.m. 3:15 p.m. 11:20 p.m.  
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The "Bee-Line" route is the shortest route from New York to Chicago, and it is the only route that permits the holder to stop off and view this, the greatest of nature's handiwork.  
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### A WATERY WARFARE.

Fire Department Called to Prevent the Landing of Disease-Bearing Vessels.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Jan. 13.—A week ago the steamship Premier arrived here from Seattle, W. T., with a big cargo of freight and forty passengers, including the J. S. Murphy Dramatic Company. When the port physician went aboard he discovered that Gus Thomas, one of the actors, had small-pox. The passengers were not permitted to land and the steamer was sent to the quarantine station at Victoria. Friday night the steamer came back with a clean bill of health, but the city authorities here would not allow her to land. Repeated efforts were made to run out her lines, but the police lined the wharves and cut her drift. She finally let go her anchor and lay to in the bay all night. Saturday morning the steamship Islander, of the same line, came in the bay, ran alongside the Premier and took off part of her passengers, but when she attempted to land the police cut her lines and with drawn revolvers drove the crew aboard. Captain Irving of the Islander, attempted to disperse the police by throwing streams of water on them, but the officers quickly held their ground. Both steamers are now lying off the city, and 3,000 people are down at the wharves. All are greatly excited, and determined not to let the steamer land. The Islander is evidently making preparations to try to effect a landing, and the fire department has been called out. The Mayor says he will keep the steamer away from the wharf by turning streams of water on them.

### A Sheriff's Desperate Fight with Robbers.

CLEVELAND, O., Jan. 13.—Ex-Sheriff Hobensack, of Union county, Ohio, who lives near Mount Hickory, had a terrible experience with two robbers last night. Hearing a noise in his barn he went out to investigate. The two men set upon him, shooting him twice and inflicting several wounds with a knife. They threw the wounded man into a manger and set fire to the barn, which was destroyed after Hobensack had been rescued by members of his family. The injured man will probably die. Suspicion rests upon two colored men.

## WHEN INDICATIONS.

MONDAY—Light, local snows; colder.

## NEWS DOINGS

### "V-V-ema, stop your winking" at me," said a citizen

"half seas over" on his way home one of these recent clearings, as his unsteady gaze caught sight of that star in the evening skies shining as big as a Roman candle ball and twice as bright. It shined by light reflected from the sun—64,153,000 miles away from it. It is nearly that far from the earth. Its diameter is about 7,500 miles, so that its volume is about seven-tenths of that of the earth, and its mass about eighteen-twentieths. On account of the way it acts, with reference to the way it goes around the sun, and on account of the great amount of the sun's heat which it receives (believed to be twice as much as the earth receives), it is thought no human life can exist there. We don't know of anybody that wants to exist there. What the matter with Indiana? Indiana has the next President, natural gas, the State Legislature, and the greatest place on earth to get clothes and hats—which is

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### TO THE NEW GOVERNOR.

But before attempting to do so, buy one of the new style Silk Hats just received by

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### GENERAL LONGSTREET'S LETTER.

As Viewed by an Ex-Confederate Private—A Soldier's Voice from Montana.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

ATLANTA, Ga., Jan. 12.—General James Longstreet's mail is loaded with letters, both from the boys in blue and the boys in gray, commending his manly, patriotic letter to the Chattanooga Republican Club. The usual snarl and jeremiad have come from the old reactionary Bourbons. The Associated Press dispatches reported an interview with a United States Democratic Senator in Washington, who claimed to have "served under General Longstreet," and who expressed his "sorrow and disappointment that General Longstreet should have wantonly slandered the South." In pleasing contrast is the following letter from an ex-confederate, who marched with Longstreet for four years and who is now located in Montana, and is "reconstructed," loyal to the Union, and hence a stanch Republican. Echoing the sentiment of the Montana soldier, it is hoped the evening of General Longstreet's life may be happy, and as he is only sixty-seven years old and hale and hearty, he may lead his former comrades in the South to the same high plane now occupied by his Montana colleague, whose letter is as follows:

RASIN CITY, M. T., Jan. 4.  
General—I have just read your patriotic letter to the gentlemen who are to give the late Congressman a banquet in Chattanooga, Tenn. You have, by that letter, my dear sir, added another cause for my esteem for you, which four years of active service under your command occasioned. As one of the humblest of the "old brigade" who followed you from Ball Bluff in '61, along the Peninsula, twice between the Potomac, and then to the end at Appomattox, I have cordially and enthusiastically voted in accordance with the result of that period so pregnant with history and public interest. The four years' service under your guns to that matches and magnanimous soldier who sleeps at Riverside, and whose every breath in life was finally to the benefit of his countrymen. I have contended and acted in the interest of nationality and the entire Republic. I read the election of Mr. Evans, and I read and shall preserve your letter with an especial emphasis of pleasure, and, General, at the end of your post, may bring back nothing for your letter, and also for the many many words and deeds of yours during the past quarter of a century, almost which have led nothing but credit upon the survivors of that great revolution in which you bore yourself so well.

I trust sincerely that your life's last days may be restful days; that memory, striking upon the sepulchral stones of your past may bring back nothing that shall be tainted with regret, and apologizing for mentioning these things, I offer the excuse that old days will come stealing back, and they hang like golden beads upon the rosary of my memory. With best wishes for your health, prosperity, peace and happiness, I am, General, your obedient servant,  
General James Longstreet, Gallatinville, Ga.

### County Official \$7,000 Short.

WEST SUPERIOR, Wis., Jan. 13.—A week ago, when the newly-elected county officers took their respective offices at the courthouse, the books of the retiring county clerk, V. C. Courneyer, showed that the county was short by \$7,000. Courneyer asked that he be given one week to bring forth the missing funds, which he requested was granted, but at the adjourned meeting of the commissioners, Saturday, the committee appointed for the purpose of investigation reported that Courneyer had not yet been replaced, and a resolution was adopted making Courneyer's bondsmen responsible for the money and instructing the chairman to proceed according to law for the recovery of the books, papers, etc., which had also been held back. Courneyer has held his office four years, having been elected in 1884 on the Democratic ticket and re-elected in 1888. The money required to straighten the accounts will doubtless be furnished by friends before action is taken to recover from the bondsmen.

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### Russian Politicians Slowly Working Up a Feeling of Hostility to Germany.

Progress of the Boulanger-Jacques Canvass—Enemies of the General Reproduce a Damaging Letter from Gen. Faidherbe.

### THE GERMAN CHANCELLOR.

Expectation that His Coming Speech Will Be Sensational in Character.

LONDON, Jan. 13.—It is regarded as almost absolutely certain that Prince Bismarck will, in the speech which he is to deliver in the Reichstag on Tuesday, refer to the Morier and Geflick incidents, but it is not believed that he will reopen those questions, unless he is in possession of some strong evidence of the alleged plot against Germany in which the British ambassador to Russia and the Professor are made to figure as the chief conspirators, than has yet been brought forward. Still, the Chancellor's undoubted and scarcely concealed hatred of England and everything English may lead him to pursue the end that if by so doing, he can make it appear that there really was a plot to rob him of the credit, which has hitherto been his, of having formulated and carried out the scheme of establishing the German empire.

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### SACKVILLE'S DEFENSE.

Thought He Was Doing What He Had a Right to Do—Bayard Treated Him Unfairly.

London Special to Pittsburgh Dispatch.

A parliamentary paper is issued to-day, publishing as much as is thought advisable of the correspondence relating to the Sackville matter. The interesting fact is that Sackville, doubtless because of his respectable relations, isn't in the least censured by his government—a fact which makes little difference, since his country so unanimously pronounced him an ass. In his letter, Sackville defends himself in a weak kind of way, as having thought that he had a right to do, and as having done what he had a right to do. He also accuses Mr. Bayard of unfairness, and declares that he did not attempt to do away with the effect of the letter, through the channel which gave it publication, namely, the press, as he knew that to contradict what newspaper reporters said would only get him into a disagreeable and unseemly controversy. Mr. Phelps, on the other hand, practically accuses Sackville of a "peaceful" and "unfair" attempt to do away with the effect of the letter, through the channel which gave it publication, namely, the press, as he knew that to contradict what newspaper reporters said would only get him into a disagreeable and unseemly controversy.

The fact that both Sackville and Salisbury, instead of realizing that one is a fool and the other, at best, a fool's defender, are inclined to take a high and vain view of their own position, and of injured innocence. Lord Salisbury declines to accept the principle that the acceptance or retention of a minister was a question solely to be determined by the government, to which he was credited, either with or without the assignment of reason, and in support of his opinion quotes Lord Palmerston on the occasion of Sir Henry Bulwer's sudden dismissal from Madrid in 1848.

The Foreign Office displays unusual enterprise by publishing a facsimile of the News from the pages of a book which contained a reproduction of Sackville's written exhibition of himself.

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A Bill That Will Test the Charity of the Friends of the Old Commander.

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### Commissioner Oberly Makes Recommendations Concerning Indian Affairs.

A Daughter of a Revolutionary Hero Diffidently Petitions for Justice—